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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

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The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING	HIGH	EST NO		-			-		
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE									<u> \$ </u>	0.00
GRAND TOTAL									\$	0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 18, 2003, to which this paper is timely filed, please reconsider the patentability of the rejected claims based on the following remarks. Claims 1-22 are pending.

Claims 1-14, 21 and 22 under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable in view of Joong et al. (US 6,134,433; hereafter "Joong") in view of Le Strat et al. (US 6,134,220; hereafter "Le Strat"). Claims 15-20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 in view of Joong, Le Strat and Seraj (US 5,388,095).

Applicant respectfully traverses these rejections because (1) the cited prior art, analyzed individually or in combination, fails to teach or suggest all the features recited in the rejected claims, and (2) one of ordinary skill in the art would not have combined the teachings of the cited prior art to provide the claimed invention.

COMBINED REFERENCE TEACHINGS FAIL TO TEACH INVENTION

For example, the cited prior art fails to teach or suggest:

a "method for implementing call forwarding in a mobile system comprising at least one forwarding exchange for carrying out call forwarding via one of several alternative lines on the basis of subscriber data related to the call forwarding, and at least one subscriber database for storing the subscriber data related to the call forwarding, the method comprising: receiving at the forwarding exchange a call set-up message addressed to a subscriber in the mobile system; performing a subscriber data request to the subscriber database; transmitting a response message from the subscriber database to the forwarding exchange, the message